

REMARKS

Claims 11-20 are currently pending in this application. Claim 20 has been newly added and finds basis, for instance, at page 7, line 16 of the specification and in the Example on page 9 of the specification. Newly presented claim 20 does not introduce any new matter.

Claims 11-14 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as obvious over DD 145540A to Janzen et al. Claim 15 stands rejected as obvious over Janzen et al. in view of US Patent No. 6,312,503 to Fike et al. Claims 16-19 as obvious over Janzen et al. in view of DD 160829 to Serenkov et al. The comments presented in the response filed on August 11, 2010 are incorporated herein by reference.

In view of the above and the response filed on August 11, 2010, Applicants believe the pending application is in condition for allowance.

In the event the Examiner believes that another interview might serve in any way to advance the prosecution, the undersigned is available at the telephone number noted below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this paper to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2775, under Order No. 12810-00347-US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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